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Applicant: VAILLANT, ANDREW et al.

Title: ANTIVIRAL OLIGONUCLEOTIDES TARGETING HIV

Appl. No. 10/661,099

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In response to the Notice to Comply With Requirements for Applications Containing Sequence Disclosures dated December 10, 2003, please amend the application as follows:

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